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Interview Request Form

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/722,988

METHOD OF ISSUING AN INTERIM MAIL ADDRESS AND SYSTEM FOR DOING THE
SAME

Assignee: NEC Corporation

Our Reference: 025551-9001

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NOTES/COMMENTS:

Dear Examiner Patel:

Please see attached Interview Request Form.

Thank you.

Thomas J. Keating

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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 10/722,988 First Named Applicant: Suzuki et al
Examiner: Haresh N. Patel Art Unit: 2154 Status of Application: After-Final

Tentative Participants:

(1) Thomas J. Keating 59,110 (2) _____
(3) _____ (4) _____

Proposed Date of Interview: December 9, 2008 Proposed Time: 2 pm Eastern Time AM/PM

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☒ Telephonic (2) ☐ Personal (3) ☐ Video Conference

Exhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES ☒ NO

If yes, provide brief description: _____

Issues To Be Discussed

| Issues (Rej., Obj., etc) | Claims/ Fig. #s | Prior Art | Discussed | Agreed | Not Agreed |
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Brief Description of Argument to be Presented:

The art does not teach all of the elements of the claims.

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____

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Thomas J. Keating
Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature

Thomas J. Keating

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative
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Examiner/SPE Signature

Registration Number, if applicable

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